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Sir:

This is in response to a "Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 C.F.R. §1.121)" dated April 13, 2004. This amendment/response replaces the amendment/response filed March 1, 2004 in response to an official action dated August 28, 2003, wherein the pending claims were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) and 35 U.S.C. §112, first paragraph. The applicants respectfully traverse in view of the following remarks.

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